

EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

THE 75TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE
KIWANIS CLUB OF CALDWELL/
WEST ESSEX, COUNTY OF ESSEX,
NEW JERSEY

HON. RODNEY P. FRELINGHUYSEN

OF NEW JERSEY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, April 12, 1999

Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to commemorate the 75th anniversary of the Kiwanis Club of Caldwell/West Essex.

On April 8, 1999, the Kiwanis Club of Caldwell/West Essex will celebrate 75 years of service to the West Essex Community. Since its start in 1923, the Kiwanis Club members of this chapter have been providing service to the local community. This Club represents a larger, international organization that dedicates itself to allowing men and women the opportunity to become involved in improving the conditions in which we live.

Currently, the Club participates in various service projects such as aiding families during Thanksgiving, contributing to the Kiwanis Oval playground, and working toward the beautification of West Essex communities.

In addition to service, and volunteering time, the Caldwell/West Essex Kiwanis Club contributes financially to many organizations including the Children's Miracle Network, the March of Dimes, Walk-a-thon, the Battered Women's Shelter, and many other deserving organizations. The Kiwanis has continued to pledge its support to the prevention of Iodine Deficiency Disorder—the leading cause of preventable retardation. This organization has displayed its commitments to the youth of West Essex by supporting two little league teams, the Caldwell/West Caldwell Soccer Club, and serves as a sponsor of local youngsters for federal and state leadership development programs.

Mr. Speaker, for the past 75 years, the Kiwanis Club of Caldwell/West Essex has faithfully carried out the objectives of their global service organization. They have continued to provide service and support to the community in which they work and live. Mr. Speaker, I ask you and my colleagues to join me in congratulating all past and present members of the Kiwanis Club of Caldwell/West Essex on this special anniversary.

IN HONOR OF THE PANCYPRIAN
ASSOCIATION OF AMERICAN
WOMEN'S ISSUES NETWORK
(WIN) ON THE OCCASION OF
THEIR ANNUAL DINNER DANCE
HONORING MS. TITINA LOIZIDES

HON. CAROLYN B. MALONEY

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mrs. MALONEY of New York. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to pay tribute to the Women's

Issues Network (WIN) division of the Pancyprian Association of America.

WIN was established in the spring of 1996 out of an identified need to bring together women of Hellenic Heritage living in America to provide them with information, services and awareness of social, health, economic and other issues. WIN members assist each other and others in developing opportunities for prosperity and progress in the community and perpetuating and integrating the Hellenic heritage and spirit with the best of American culture and values.

In the past two years WIN has focused on providing support from women to women and their families. Since its inception, it has successfully organized a series of events, lectures and presentations on health, social and economic issues as they relate to women's roles as mothers, daughters, wives, breadwinners and homemakers. This year's special event will be a women's cancer screening for those who do not have insurance.

This year WIN will honor Titina Loizides who grew up in Kyrenia, Cyprus, now occupied by the illegal army of Turkey. Ms. Loizides is a leader in the tourism industry, having been executive secretary of the Cyprus Tourist Guides Association, associate of Cyprus Broadcasting Corporation presenting children's programs on Cyprus history and archaeology, president of Cyprus Tourist Guides, founding member of the "Equal rights—Equal responsibility" movement, coordinator of the action group for the protection of Ayios Andreas neighborhood in Nicosia, first woman Rotarian of the Rotary Club of Kyrenia, member of Women Walk Home, among others. She is married and has two children.

Ms. Loizides came into international prominence when she successfully sued the Turkish Government for rent on her property in Kyrenia. The Cyprus Government referred this case to the European Court of Human Rights.

The court ruling states as of December 1996: The Republic of Cyprus the sole legitimate Government of Cyprus. Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus has no legal validity. The applicant has not lost title of her property and is the legal owner of her land. The northern part of Cyprus is under the control of Turkish troops. The rights of the applicant to peaceful enjoyment of her possessions under article 1 of protocol 1 have continuously been violated. Within 6 months the applicant and the Turkish government will submit written observations with respect to compensation and costs. Turkey is to pay to the applicant within three months of CYP 300,000 for pecuniary damages, non-pecuniary damages of CYP 20,000, and costs and expenses.

Ms. Loizides is being honored for her determination to fight for her rights and for bringing the Cyprus tragedy to the attention of the world.

Mr. Speaker, I ask that my colleagues rise with me in this tribute to the Pancyprian Association of American Women's Issues Network, a group of dedicated Hellenic women who have successfully integrated the Hellenic spirit

with American ideals and values. I also ask my colleagues to rise in tribute to the Pancyprian Association's Woman of the Year Honoree, Ms. Titina Loizides.

A TRIBUTE TO MARGRIT BERAN
KREWSON

HON. RICHARD A. GEPHARDT

OF MISSOURI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. GEPHARDT. Mr. Speaker, Margrit Beran Krewson has recently retired from the Library of Congress where she has served with great dedication for 30 years. For the past 18 years she was the Library's German/Dutch area specialist in the European Division, and thus the Library's principal liaison with the countries of Austria, Belgium, Germany, The Netherlands, and Switzerland. The author of 18 bibliographic publications, calling to public attention the depth and scope of the Library's Dutch and German-language collections, Mrs. Krewson made one of her responsibilities informing American descendants of European immigrants of their national heritages collected in the Library of Congress. Her bibliographies range from 300 Years of German Immigration to the United States (1983) through The Dutch Collections of the Library of Congress: A Chronology (1990) to German-American Relations: A Selective Bibliography (1995). In addition, she has sponsored over 60 events—lectures, exhibitions, and readings related to the countries for which she is responsible—including in 1996 raising the necessary funds and editing the catalog for the Library's successful exhibition Dresden: Treasures from the Saxon State Library. Her dedicated attention to publications within their countries and her care in maintaining cultural relations has led the governments of the Federal Republic of Germany, the Netherlands, the Republic of Austria, and Belgium to acknowledge her achievements with the award of special decorations—most recently The Commander's Cross of the Order of Merit from Germany in 1996 and the Cross of Honor for Science and Art from Austria in 1997.

A TRIBUTE TO O. LEWIS HARRIS

HON. NITA M. LOWEY

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, April 12, 1999

Mrs. LOWEY. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to express my great admiration for Lew Harris, a remarkable leader and citizen who this year celebrates 20 years of service to the Forest Hills Community House.

A man of principle, intelligence, and skill, Mr. Harris has helped the Forest Hills Community House grow from a fledgling organization to a pillar of Queens social and community

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